GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

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NEXUS WITH TERRORIST ORGANISATIONS
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government is aware about links established between terrorists/ naxal elements and individuals in certain parts of Bihar;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the countries along the border of Bihar State also help these outfits;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) the corrective measures taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI JITENDRA SINGH)

(a) & (b): As per the available information, investigation into terrorism related cases by State Police forces and disclosures of arrested persons revealed names of a few terrorist elements in Bihar, having links with Laskare-e-Taiba (LeT). On the basis of inputs, four LeT operatives of Bihar were identified and arrested between 2004 and 2009.

(c): No inputs are available to indicate that the countries along Bihar border are helping naxal outfits. However, CPI(Maoist) has been known to maintain fraternal links with the UCPN (Maoist) of Nepal.

(d) to (e): Central Intelligence Agencies maintaining a strict vigil on activities of such outfits and individuals.